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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
HIROSHI SATOMI ET AL.)
Application No.: 09/547,284)
Filed: April 11, 2000)
For: INFORMATION PROVIDING)
METHOD, INFORMATION)
PROVIDING SYSTEM, TERMINAL)
APPARATUS, AND STORAGE)
MEDIUM STORING INFORMATION)
PROVIDING PROGRAM)

Examiner: E. Colbert
TC/Art Unit: 3624
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed PTO-1449 form. Copies of the listed documents also are enclosed.

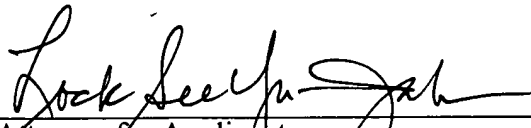
To the best of Applicants' knowledge, a first Office Action has not yet been mailed in the above-identified application.

It is respectfully requested that the enclosed information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the PTO-1449 form be returned indicating that listed documents have been considered and made of record in this application.

Although no fee is believed to be required, if a fee is deemed necessary to have this Information Disclosure Statement considered, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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